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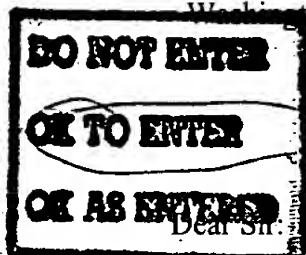
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ITEM AND ITS FABRICATION

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CLASS, TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,
WASHINGTON D.C. 20231 ON JANUARY 12, 2001AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Office communication mailed September 12, 2000, please amend the
above application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 2, line 4, cancel "substantially".

Please amend claim 14 according to the following claim 14 (amended):

14. (amended) Rolled food item comprising, in combination: a strip of support material
and food, with the strip of support material and food having a trailing edge and a leading edge, with
the strip of support material and food being rolled in a roll having a periphery and a center, with the
support material located on the outside of the roll, with the trailing edge located on the periphery of
the roll, with the leading edge located adjacent the center of the roll, with the food having a first
portion adjacent the trailing edge and a second portion of a substantially longer length than the first

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